



# CENTRAL OHIO NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION



Box 1561, Dublin, OH 43017

## September, 2018

**When:** 7 p.m., Sept. 19  
**Where:** Oakstone Academy  
900 Club Dr., Westerville  
**Who:** Jeff Starck  
**Topic:** Numismatic journalism

## September presentation



Coin World Senior Editor Jeff Starck gets to travel the world in pursuit of stories about coins. You'll find his byline on stories from Beijing (China), Berlin (Germany) and Sidney (Ohio).

Jeff will talk about "my life in numismatic journalism, which has allowed me to travel to coin shows around the world.

"I also will explore some affordable areas of world coin collecting that offer fun and just enough challenge to keep it interesting."

Jeff, who joined Coin World's staff in 2004, has been a collector since childhood and fondly remembers the challenges of completing Whitman folders by pulling coins from circulation and searching rolls from the bank. His current collecting interest focuses on Missouri-related numismatics and exonomia. He is the primary writer for the World Coins section in the monthly Special Edition and is responsible for Coin World's coverage of world coins and weekly International page. He graduated with a bachelor of arts degree from Webster University in St. Louis where he was editor-in-chief of its weekly student newspaper.

## Acts of charity



The summer picnic gave rise to two acts of charity. In an attempt to drum up publicity, McDonald's marketing department donated to CONA a set of five tokens it issued to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the Big Mac sandwich (two all-beef patties, etc).

Each token is good for a Big Mac. The set was auctioned at the club's summer picnic, with proceeds going to the Ronald McDonald House. Steve Petty snagged the set with a winning bid of \$21.

The auction also had a bag of 26 Indian cents. I bought it for \$5 and was surprised to see several semi-keys in about good or less. I placed them in the August club auction, where they sold for \$50. In our house found and windfall money goes to charity, so the proceeds were used to buy boxes of diapers for the Homeless Families Foundation.

Two of the pennies were culls. They were deposited in a jar of change that we will donate to the Salvation Army. Somebody will be surprised this Christmas. -

Gerry

## Raffle

September raffle item will be an original 1959 U.S. Proof Set. Tickets are \$1 each; 6 for \$5; 13 for \$10. -

Gary

## Club auction

Send October lots to Steve B  
lumbus.rr.com - by Oct. 9.

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## Columbus Coin Show

**When:** Sept. 16, Oct. 21 - 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

**Where:** Makoy Center, 5462 Center St. Hilliard.

**Admission:** CONA members get in free

Regular admission is \$2 to those 18 and over.  
CONA members are admitted free.

# September 2018 CONA Auction List

#	Description	Qty.	Grade	Min. Bid	Sell Price
<b>Steve</b>					
1	4 nickels in holder "Philidelphia mint nickel collection" v nickel, buffalo, war nickel, Jeff	1 set	CIRC	\$1.00	
2	Native Americans coins and stamp set, America's rare 19th century coins(v nickel)	2 sets	Circ	\$1.00	
3	3 coin buffalo Nickel set, 2005 American bison nickel set	2 sets	Circ	\$1.00	
4	American classic Liberty nickel set 2 coins, War nickel 3 coin mint set	2 sets	CIRC	\$2.00	
5	Buffalo Nickel folder with 12 uncirculated Jefferson nickels	12	UNC	\$1.00	
6	5 Lancaster Ohio sesquicentennial tokens 10c	5	NEW	open	
7	2 Missouri tax tokens, 2 different Alabama tax tokens	4	used	\$1.00	
8	Dr Drakes For croupy coughs 1951D encased cent	1	new	\$3.00	
9	save at Rexall one cent sale encased cent 1952D	1	new	\$3.00	
10	4 V-nickels 1887,1903,1908,1912	4	CIRC	\$1.00	
11	Bag of Stuff coins,tokens,Wooden Nickels, misc	many		\$2.00	
12	Bag of Stuff coins,tokens,Wooden Nickels, misc	many		\$1.00	
13	21 Canadian cents 1943-1978	21	CIRC	open	
14	1 roll wheat cents 1950's red and brown unc	50	UNC	\$1.50	
15	4 Indian cents F or better 1899,2-1901,1909	4	F or better	\$4.00	
<b>Roger</b>					
16	Nigeria 2011 10 Naira banknote error mismatched serial numbers	1	UNC	\$15.00	
17	Germany 1923 10 million mark banknote R-106 C	1	UNC	\$4.00	
18	Japan 1946 1 Yen banknote P-85	1	UNC	\$3.00	
19	Great Britain 1956 Arm Forces military banknote 10 shillings PM28B	1	UNC	\$3.00	
20	Great Britain 1956 Arm Forces military banknote 50 Pence PM49	1	UNC	\$3.00	
21	Maldiv Islands 5 Rufiyaa banknote plastic soccor theme braille marked	1	NEW	\$3.00	
22	France WWII 1944 allied military banknotes issues 2-5-10	3	XF	\$4.00	
23	3 different Columbus tokens ZOO, COTA, Childrens Hospital	3	AU-UNC	\$3.00	
24	Canada 5 different large cents 16,17,18,19,20	5	F-VF	\$3.00	
25	2 different lighthouse elongated cents from Ohio	2		\$3.00	
<b>Zach</b>					
26	Hellas coins collection	6	UNC	open	
27	2-1oz copper bars	2	NEW	\$4.00	
28	group of wheat cents, steel cents Jefferson nickels	8	G/VG/BU	open	
29	1974 proof set face Value \$1.98	1	PROOF	\$2.00	
30	1899 Barber Quarter	1	G	\$4.00	
31	1899,1907 Barber dimes	2	G	\$3.00	
32	1890,1891,18992 Indian Cents	3	G/VG	open	
33	5 Mercury Dimes 2-1917,1918S,1926,1927D	5	CIRC	\$6.00	
34	1943 Walking Liberty Half	1	VF	\$9.00	
35	5 Lincoln Cents 1955D,1956D,1957D, 2-1959	5	BU	open	
36	3 Canadian quarters 1950,1961,1965 2 Canadian dimes1955,1960	5	F	\$12.00	
37	15 assorted USSR Kopeks	15	CIRC	open	
38	15 assorted Italians Lires	15	CIRC	open	
39	3 Buffalo Nickels 1930,1936,1937	3	CIRC	\$2.00	
40	box of assorted foreign coins throughout 1900'S	76	CIRC	OPEN	
<b>Tony Cass</b>					
41	Canada Mint 125th Anniv. of Royal Mounted Police-silver token	1	NEW	\$ 3.00	
42	Roosevelt Dime 1969-S	1	PROOF	OPEN	
43	Newfoundland Cent 1913	1	VF	OPEN	
44	Lincolns 1943, 1955S, 1964	3	CH UNC-PR	OPEN	
45	Roosevelt 1971D 10c & Washington 1971D 25c	2	CH UNC	OPEN	
46	Russia 1898 1R	1	CIR	OPEN	
47	Canada 5 Cents 1922, 1928. 1930, 1931., 1934. 1935	6	CIR	OPEN	
48	Barber 1911-D 25c	1	G	\$ 2.50	
49	Brazil 1938 KM# 539 400R	1	UNC	OPEN	
50	Hawaii Good For \$1.00 Token	1	UNC	OPEN	
51	Lincoln Memorial Cents PDS Mints	14	CH UNC	OPEN	
52	Washington Quarter 1936	1	AU	\$ 2.50	
53	Canada Large Cent 1916	1	XF	OPEN	
54	Heads I Win- Tails You Lose Token	1	AU	OPEN	
55	US Postage Set 1975 Face Value \$2.46	Many	CH UNC	\$ 1.50	
<b>Dan</b>					
56	10 different medals including some famous coin reproductions 10 Unc Open	10	UNC	open	
57	Canada 1970 Manitoba dollar in original case	1	BU	open	
58	Bouquet from the Bahamas 4-coin set	1 set	UNC	open	
59	1982 U.S. Coin Set (no U.S. Mint set in 1982)	1	BU	open	
60	1983 U.S. Coin Set (no U.S. Mint set in 1983)	1	BU	open	
61	2004 U.S. Mint Westward Journey Nickel Series 6-piece set	1 set	BU & Proof	open	
62	2005 U.S. Mint Westward Journey Nickel Series 6-piece set	1 set	BU & Proof	open	

## Hilltop auction

**When:** Sept.25, (5:30 p.m. lot viewing)

**Where:** Grove City Coin, 2655 Columbus St.

## IKO-TAMS

**When:** Oct. 12-13, 9-6:30 Fri; 9-2 Sat

**Where:** American Legion, 200 W. National Rd.  
(Rt. 40), Englewood, Ohio

**Admission:** Free

## Tuscarawas County Coin Show

**When:** Oct. 13, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

**Where:** Tuscarawas Catholic High School, New  
Philadelphia

**Admission:** Free

## Tri-County Coin Show

**When:** Oct. 14, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

**Where:** Auglaize County Fairgrounds, Jr. Fair  
Building, Wapakoneta

**Admission:** Free

## Clark County Coin Show

**When:** Nov. 11, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.

**Where:** Wendy Knoll Golf Course banquet hall,  
500 Roscommon Dr, Springfield

**Admission:** Free

#	Description	Qty.	Grade	Min. Bid	Sell Price
63	1975 Paul Revere / Lexington-Concord U.S. Mint Medal	1	BU	open	
64	French Polynesia 1975 One Franc 1st year of issue	1	XF	open	
65	French Oceania 1952 5 Francs one year type	1	XF	open	
66	2 different LBJ presidential large medals	2	UNC	open	
67	Somalia 1950 Centesimo - one year type - Elephant obverse	1	UNC	open	
68	1837 Large cent	1	VG	open	
69	Cuba 1959 100 Pesos banknote pre-revolution - Castro took over in 1959	1	VF	open	
70	China Yr. 26 (1937) One Fen	1	XF	open	
	<b>Gerald Tebbin</b>				
71	2006 FUN coin playing cards 1 deck opened \$1	1 deck	opened	\$1.00	
72	\$100 playing cards 1 deck opened \$1	1 deck	opened	\$1.00	
73	1976 Bicentennial medal and stamps 1 package PR \$1	1	PROOF	\$1.00	
74	1974 Roll BU Lincoln cents 50 BU \$1	1 roll	BU	\$1.00	
75	1963 Roll BU Lincoln centsw 50 BU \$1	1 roll	BU	\$1.00	
76	2015, 2016 Central States Patrick Mint storecards 2 BU \$1	2	BU	\$1.00	
77	1909-VDB Lincoln cent 1 VG \$1	1	VG	\$1.00	
78	1952 Washington Carver commem half 1 AU \$1	1	AU	\$1.00	
79	1958 US Mint Domestic Coin report 1 used \$1	1	USED	\$1.00	
80	2005 Collecting America's Coins, 5 coins and blank planchet	1 set	Proof/UNC	\$15.00	
	<b>Gary</b>				
81	1909 Indian Cent	1	F	\$5.00	
82	Roll 1955-D Lincoln Cents	50	UNC	\$10.00	
83	Roll 1956-D Lincoln Cents	50	UNC	\$8.00	
84	Roll 1943 Mixed Steel Cents	50	Circ	\$10.00	
85	Roll Mixed Wheatback Cents	50	Circ	\$3.00	
86	1924-D (VG-rotated dies) & 1925-D(G) Buffalo Nickels	2	VG&G	\$9.00	
87	1917-S Buffalo Nickel Better Date Trends \$43	1	VG	\$18.00	
88	2009 US Proof Set	1	PROOF	\$18.00	
89	1970 US Proof Set	1	PROOF	\$8.00	
90	1982 US Proof Set	1	PROOF	\$3.00	
91	1968 US Proof Set (VERY nice!!)	1	PROOF	\$5.00	
92	2007 US Silver Proof Set	1	PROOF	\$35.00	
93	Holdered Foreign Coins (Cat \$106)	15	Mix	\$18.00	
94	Holdered Sweden 1910-28 1 duplicate KM (Cat \$62)	7	Mix	\$5.00	
95	1877 Dominican Republic Centavo Lustrous!	1	VF	\$4.00	

# A message from Patty

My Dear Green Hats,

Before too much time passes I want to give you all my sincere thanks for the incredible job you did at this recent Ohio State Coin Show. Once again, you came to work, to help, made the dealers feel valued and appreciated, worked as a seamless team, and made all of my prep work worthwhile. To the person, the dealers could not say enough about how great you were and how much they appreciated everything you did to make their show a success. One of the dealers said that he always tells other dealers that "they should do our show because, even if they do not make as much money as at some other larger shows, they will never feel as well cared for as they do at OSCS." He said that he looks forward to this show as a welcome break for him. He cited the help from the Green Hats, the Hospitality Room, the questions about if there was anything he needed, the advertising which produces a good attendance, and the water, dealer bags, and personal thank you notes that are not given anywhere else.

So, once again, a big THANK YOU to you all. I have, of course, not had enough time to crank all the numbers, but our attendance was over 550, our raffle sales were strong both by you and the public, and we made some money. I will have a firmer report at the October CONA meeting. In the meantime, please begin to think about some ways to celebrate our 20th Anniversary Show next year.

Thanks again,

*Patty*

## What they're saying about the show



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## Ohio State Coin Show Demonstrates Once Again Why They are The Best Run Show in The Country!

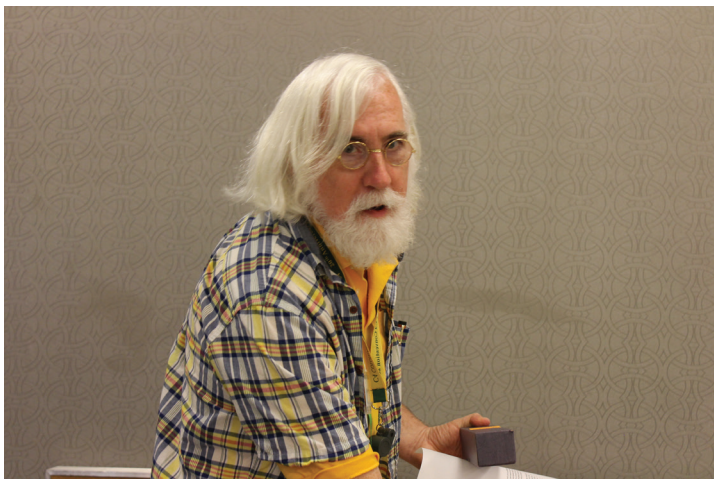
*September 4, 2018/in Market Reports News /by ReededEdge*

This is a strong statement, and it's not to be taken lightly. The Ohio State Coin Show on Labor Day Weekend in Dublin, Ohio proved once again why it is the single best run coin show in the country! How many show promoters would try to hold their venue on one of the most traveled weekends of the year? Furthermore, who would even fathom holding a show in Columbus during Ohio State football's (probably the most popular college football program in the country) season opener? The combination seems like a sure recipe for disaster. Suffice to say, only a really fine-tuned coin show run by an equally committed organization could pull this off. We are pleased to say, that once again, The Central Ohio Numismatic Association with their host of green hat support staff put on a first class venue, defying the odds and making firm believers out of us. When we hear that coin shows are a dying breed, we always allude back to this venue. They advertise and market, they prove year-in and year-out that they have a contingent of collectors and members that remain loyal to the show, and perhaps most importantly, they make their dealers feel welcome. Rob and Robbie reported a stellar day of trading on Friday, followed by a solid day of selling on football Saturday. Only three days back from this year's show, and their attention has already turned to next year's anniversary show-which they have been told, is really going to be something special! Hats off to Patty Cass and her wonderful staff for a job well done. If only every coin show were run like this.....well, we can dream, can't we??

Here's a link to the post: <https://www.reedededge.com/ohio-state-coin-show-demonstrates-once-again-why-they-are-the-best-run-show-in-the-country/>



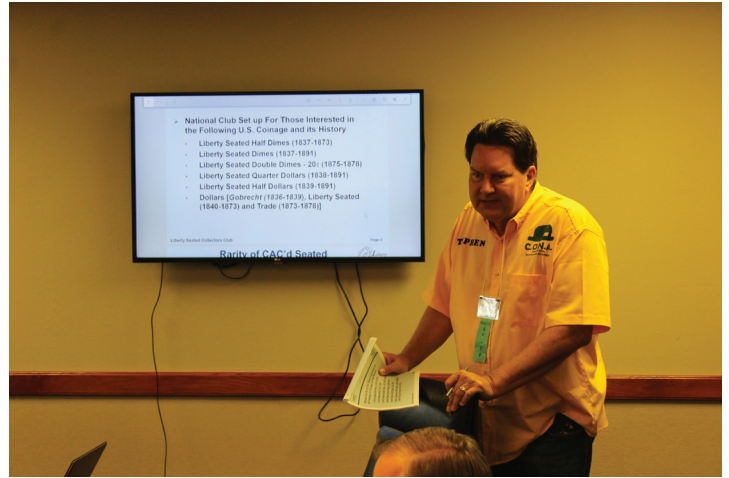
# Scenes from the show











From the past: Reading (PA) Eagle, April 22, 1892

## V nickel fakes: Worst counterfeits ever

Reading Eagle - Apr 22, 1892 [Browse this newspaper](#)

### 5-CENT COUNTERFEITS.

THE POLICE CAPTURE SPURIOUS COINS MADE BY AMATEURS.

Arrest of Mohnsville Parties in This City. Their Statements.

Shortly after 7 p. m., two men made a small purchase at Geo. W. Booth's stand, at 6th and Penn sts., and tendered a new 5-cent piece. After they were gone it was noticed that it was counterfeit. Chief Whitman was informed, and shortly after Abramam Hoffert and Jacob Wilson were arrested by Officers Shearer and Shannon. When taken into custody they denied the charge, but threw several coins into the street. Warrants for their arrest were sworn out by Sergeant Mayer, before Alderman Kirschman, charging them with passing counterfeit money.

They live at Mohnsville. Wilson afterwards admitted that his right name was Wm. Spotts and that he had given a wrong name in order to keep the news of his arrest from his friends. The accused are young men, and claim that they were intoxicated at the time they tried to pass the coins.

An EAGLE reporter examined the spurious money. It is by all odds the worst looking counterfeit the officials ever captured.

tured. The die was good but the moulds must have been very poor as pieces of lead were sticking to the edges and only two or three pieces were finished. Several friends called on the young men at the police station and all appeared to be greatly distressed. They told the accused that the arrest had caused a great deal of excitement at their homes, where they are said to be well connected. Spotts is a hatter by trade and appeared to be very sorry for his connection with the affair. He said to an EAGLE reporter:

"I don't know why we tried to pass the money, but we did. I suppose that we had been drinking and forgot ourselves. It was the first place that we tried to pass it."

"Who made the money?" was asked. "We made it at Mohnsville, but had no intention of doing counterfeiting on a large scale."

"How was it made?" "Well, we first made a die—a friend told us how—and then we made nickels of lead and spelder. The latter was secured at the hat factory, where it is used in lining shafting."

"Who told you how to make the dies?" "Well, I don't care to say now, but may do so later on, as we are not the only ones connected with this affair. We did not realize that what we were doing was really counterfeiting, and no one regrets the affair more than I do."

Reading Eagle - Apr 22, 1892 [Browse this newspaper](#)

the affair more than I do. Alfred Eckenroth was arrested by Chief Whitman in this city, where he is working at his trade, that of a hatter. He is about 25 years of age and is also a resident of Mohnsville. One of the others arrested, charged Eckenroth with having made the dies, and this statement led to his arrest. Eckenroth, however, denies that he made the dies.

Hoffert, another of the accused, was released on bail. He claims to be wholly innocent of the charge, and says that he did not assist in the work of making the coins.

Chief Whitman and Sergeant Mayer visited Mohnsville, late this afternoon, for the purpose of working up the case still further, and to search for the counterfeiters' tools.



# CONA members honored at ANA convention

CONA members David Fanning, Steve Petty and Gerry Tebben were honored for their work at the American Numismatic Association convention in Philadelphia last month.

Columbus numismatic booksellers Kolbe & Fanning took the Numismatic Literary Guild's Best Book of Exonumia Auction Catalog award for the 2018 New York Book Auction catalog.

Steve Petty received two awards for his scholarship and writing. He was awarded the Liberty Seated Collectors Club's Kamal M. Ahwash Literary Award for his article in *The Gobrecht Journal*, "An Overdue Update on the Survival Rates of Liberty Seated Dollars." He was also awarded the Token and Medal Society (TAMS) Literary Award for his article "Heraldic Art Medals - The Life of Mr. Robert McNamara, the Man Behind the Medals" in the *TAMS Journal*. CONA members are familiar with both topics from Steve's excellent presentation to the club.



Gerry Tebben was one of this year's five recipients of the ANA's Glenn Smedley Memorial Award for service to the hobby and the ANA.

## Liberty Seated Collectors Club at CONA show

From Gerry Fortin's blog

. We open with a photograph of group attendees at Friday's LSCC regional meeting at the CONA show.



Stephen Petty provided attendees with initial research on CAC approval rates for Liberty Seated coinage. His presentation quantified the total amount of PCGS and NGC graded Liberty Seated coins, by denomination and separated by circulated and mint state grades. The same was done for CAC approval quantities from the online CAC population reports. Stephen separates the green and gold CAC stickered coins for increased granularity.

For those wishing to download and view a PDF version of Stephen Petty's Rarity of CAC'd Seated Coinage, then simply click here -- [http://seateddime-varieties.com/GFRC\\_Upload/LSCC%20Regional%20Mtg%20-%20Dublin%20-%202018.pdf](http://seateddime-varieties.com/GFRC_Upload/LSCC%20Regional%20Mtg%20-%20Dublin%20-%202018.pdf).

### Saturday September 1

The CONA show is a unique Liberty Seated Collectors Club event as two regional meetings are held on Friday and Saturday. Stephen Petty recognized that certain individuals, due to full time jobs or CONA show preparations, are unable to attend the Friday session. Therefore he added a Saturday session that was very well attended. Below is the group photo. One cannot miss the CONA green hats and their bright yellow shirts. The same topic was covered, Rarity of CAC'd Seated Coinage, with deeper exploration by attendees.

